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Applicant: G.J. Dow et al. June 13, 2003
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Filed: April 20, 2001 Examiner: S.M. Hui
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OFFICE OF PETITIONS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 2, 2002 in connection with the above-captioned application, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. In addition, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed on May 5, 2003 in connection with this application. A Petition to Revive under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) is included herewith. Reconsideration of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 14-18, 20 and 24.

Please amend Claims 1-7, 9, 19 and 21-23 as follows:

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1. (Amended) A topical lotion, comprising:
about 0.005 to 1.0 wt.% fluticasone, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester thereof;